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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): IMAGE SENSOR WITH STABILIZED BLACK LEVEL AND LOW POWER CONSUMPTION

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- 36 pages of Specification/Claims 1-10/Abstract are attached.
- Formal drawings (Figs.1-19; 19 sheets are attached.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- An assignment of the invention to FUJITSU LIMITED is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.
- This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____.
- Priority of foreign application No. 2000-092967 and 2000-092971 filed March 28, 2000 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

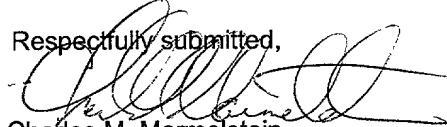
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| | \$ 355 | | \$ 710 |
| x 9 = | \$ | x 18 | \$ |
| x 40 = | \$ | x 80 | \$ 240 |
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- A check in the amount of 990.00 (950.00 for the filing fee and 40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee)] is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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